

## Making Connections

What it is about....	What it reminds me of...
<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Amos and Boris</i> By William Steig</p> <p>It is about a mouse, named Amos, and a whale, named Boris, who save each other's lives and become good friends.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• It reminds me of a whale I saw on the beach. (t-s)</li> <li>• It reminds me of the story, <i>The Lion and the Mouse</i>. (t-t)</li> <li>• It reminds me of a book, <i>Oliver that</i> is about an elephant and a mouse that are friends. (t-t)</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;">Non fiction books about Whales</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>DK Handbooks: Whales, Dolphins and Porpoises</i></li> <li>• <i>Whales, Mighty Giants of the Sea</i> (National Geographic Action Books)</li> </ul> <p>They are about facts and information about whales.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• It reminds me of the questions that I have as I read. (t-s)</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;">Internet articles about humpback whales</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• They remind me of articles that I saw in the newspaper about whales. (t-t)</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Humphrey, The Lost Whale</i> By Ernest Callenbach</p> <p>It is about a lost whale, Humphrey, who returned safely to the ocean with the help of many people and organizations.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• It reminds me of when we went to the aquarium. (t-s)</li> <li>• It reminds me of when I saw a report on the TV news about a whale. (t-w)</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Humphrey: The Wayward Whale</i> By Wendy Tokuda</p> <p>It is about Humphrey, the whale, who went the wrong direction in 1985 and ended up in a small stream far from the ocean.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• It reminds me of <i>Amos and Boris</i> because the whale is on the beach and it might die. (t-t)</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Dear Mr. Blueberry</i> By James Simon</p> <p>It is about a little girl, Emily, who finds a whale in her backyard pond and writes letters to her teacher about the whale, Arthur.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• It reminds me of when I went to Sea World and I got to touch the Killer Whale. (t-s)</li> <li>• It reminds me of when me wrote letters to Mrs. Kendall. (t-t)</li> <li>• It reminds me of <i>Amos and Boris</i> because she sees the whale when she is at the beach. (t-t)</li> </ul>